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PATENT APPLICATION

Inventor(s): Yiu Ching Liu

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Holding Vessel

Art Unit: 3742

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicant, through their undersigned attorney, hereby petitions the Commissioner to advance out of turn for examination (i.e., to make special) the above-identified application based on actual infringement. A statement by an attorney registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office (as required by M.P.E.P. §708.02) in support of this petition is submitted herewith.

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Dear Sir or Madam:

- I, Steven J. Adamson, am registered to practice before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and have registration number 32,776.
- I have become aware of a product that is currently on the market and infringes the claims of the above-identified application.
- I have conducted a rigid comparison of the allegedly infringing product with the claims of the above-identified application and it is my opinion that at least some of the claims of the aboveidentified application are unquestionably infringed.
- I have caused to be made a careful and thorough search of the prior art using professional searchers based in the Washington, D.C., area.
- A copy of each reference related to the subject matter encompassed by the claims has previously been submitted with an Information Disclosure Statement.

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